



***Embassy of the United States of America
Madrid, Spain***

**Security Message for U.S. Citizens: Demonstrations
February 28, 2014**

DEMONSTRATIONS PLANNED FOR FEBRUARY 28 – MARCH 7, 2014.

Planned and spontaneous demonstrations take place in Spain, especially in Madrid and Barcelona, in response to economic or other events. If you encounter a large public gathering or demonstration, the U.S. Embassy suggests that you avoid the area. Even demonstrations intended to be peaceful can turn confrontational. U.S. citizens are therefore urged to avoid the areas of demonstrations if possible, and to exercise caution if within the vicinity of any demonstrations.

The Government Delegation in Madrid has authorized the following demonstrations.

<i>DATE</i>	<i>DURATION</i>	<i>ORGANIZERS</i>	<i>PURPOSE OF PROTEST OR DEMONSTRATION</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>
02/28/14	10:30 – 13:00	Sec. Sind. Ayto Madrid	Against social, labor cuts etc.	Alcalá 45, Barquillo, Pza Cibeles.
02/28/14	10:30 – 12:00	Sind Unificado Seguridad Privada	Labor issues etc.	Puerta del Sol
02/28/14	11:00 – 12:30	Sec. Sind. Ayto Madrid	Against social, labor cuts etc.	Plaza de la Villa, Mayor, Plaza de la Villa
02/28/14	12:00 –13:00	Concejalía de Educación de El Boalo y Cerceda	For building a secondary education institute	Alcalá 30-32 (Ministry of Education)
02/28/14	12:00 – 13:00	Fed. Servicios Públicos UGT	Against cuts in Public Services	Sevilla, Alcalá, Gran Vía, Alcalá
03/01/14	12:00 - 14:30	Ruben Ortiz	Labor demand of Forest Firefighters	Paseo Infanta Isabel 7, Paseo Prado, Paseo Recoletos, Paseo Castellana, Plaza S. Juan de la Cruz, Agustín de Betancourt
03/02/14	11:30 – 13:30	Asociación Todos los niños Robados	In memoriam. For our stolen children	Puerta del Sol
03/02/14	12:00 –14.00	Fórum Política Feminista	Equal Sexual Rights	San Bernardo 45 (Ministry of Justice)

DATE	DURATION	ORGANIZERS	PURPOSE OF PROTEST OR DEMONSTRATION	LOCATION
03/03/14	10:00 – 11:00	Unión Sindical Obrera	Labor Issues Outsmart Assistance SL Firm etc.	Pedestrian Zone. Arrivals & Departures. T-4 Madrid-Barajas Airport
03/03/14	11:00 – 13:30	Comité Empresa Cásbega Coca – Cola Fuenlabrada	Labor Issues	Puerta del Sol
03/03/14	13:00 – 14:00	Unión Sindical Obrera	Labor Issues. Outsmart Assistance SL Firm	Pedestrian Zone. Arrivals & Departures. T-4 Madrid-Barajas Airport
03/04/14	10:00 – 11:00	Unión Sindical Obrera	Labor issues Outsmart Assistance SL Firm	Pedestrian Zone. Arrivals & Departures, T-4 Madrid-Barajas Airport
03/04/14	13:00 – 14:00	Unión Sindical Obrera	Labor Issues Outsmart Assistance SL Firm	Pedestrian Zone. Arrivals & Departures T-4. Madrid-Barajas Airport
03/06/14	11:00 – 13:30	Comité Empresa Cásbega Coca - Cola	Labor Issues	Paseo Castellana 259. (Torre de Cristal)
03/06/14	11:00 – 12:00	Unión Sindical Obrera	Claiming Event. Woman's Day	Alcalá 37. (Ministry for Equality)
03/06/14	11:00 – 11:30	Sector Administración Justicia CCOO	Against the availability of public records to property registrars	Pza Jacinto Benavente s/n (Main Civil Registry)
03/06/14	12:00 – 14:00	Fed. Servicios Ciudadanía CCOO	Labor issues, in Telemadrid	Pza Jacinto Benavente, Puerta del Sol, Montera, Hortaleza, Pza Santa Bárbara
03/06/14	13:00 – 13:30	Fed. Servicios Ciudadanía CCOO	To Protect Public Services.	Alcalá 37 (Ministry for Equality)
03/06/14	19:00 – 20:00	Plataforma Contra la impunidad del Franquismo	Against Franco's impunity	Puerta del Sol
03/07/14	11:00 – 13:30	Comité Empresa Cásbega Coca – Cola Fuenlabrada	Labor issues etc.	Serrano 75 (US Embassy)
03/07/14	12:00 – 13:00	Fed. Servicios Públicos UGT	Against cuts in Public Services	Sevilla, Alcalá, Gran Vía, Sevilla.
03/07/14	20:30 – 21:30	Beatriz Pertejo Rivas	Against laws against Human Rights	Puerta del Sol
03/07/14	21:00 – 23:00	C. Pastoral San Carlos Borromeo	In Memoriam. Deaths which recently took place at Ceuta's border zone.	Paseo de la Castellana 46. European Union HQ

The U.S. Embassy encourages U.S. citizens to review "[A Safe Trip Abroad](#)," which includes valuable security information for those both living and traveling abroad. All U.S. citizens in Spain are urged to enroll online at the [Smart Traveler Enrollment Program](#) (STEP). Enrolling gives U.S. Citizens access to updated information on travel and security within Spain and makes it easier for the Embassy to contact citizens in case of emergency. You can also download our free [Smart Traveler iPhone App](#) to have travel information at your fingertips.

Current information on safety and security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States or a regular toll line at 1-202-501-4444 for callers from other countries. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays). You can also stay up to date by bookmarking our [Bureau of Consular Affairs website](#), which contains the current [Travel Warnings and Travel Alerts](#) as well as the [Worldwide Caution](#) as well as [Country Specific Information for Spain](#). Follow us on [Twitter](#) and the Bureau of Consular Affairs page on [Facebook](#) as well.

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